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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT  
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First named inventor: Hoffmann, Schlomo

Application No.: 09/820,146

Art Unit: 2611

Filed: 03/28/2001

Examiner: Ha, Dac V.

Title: INTERMODULATION DISTORTION IDENTIFICATION AND QUANTIZATION CIRCUIT FOR A LINEAR AMPLIFIER SYSTEM

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- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee - required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

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☐ Small entity-fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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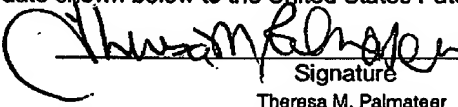
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Applicant believes that fees in the amount of \$1,540.00 are required for Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally Under 37 CFR 1.137(b). The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1482 in the name of Carlson, Gaskey & Olds in the amount of \$1,540.00, as well as for any additional fees or credit the account for any overpayment.

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